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Title:	METHOD FOR DETECTION OF SPECIFIC TARGET CELLS IN SPECIALIZED OR CELL POPULATION AND SOLUTIONS CONTAINING MIXED CELL POPULATIONS		

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 26, 1996, Applicant requests the following amendments be made to the above-identified application.

In the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows.

Page 5, third line of second full paragraph, delete "Flowcytometric" and insert therefor --Flow cytometric--.

Page 7, line 17 of first paragraph, delete "gastrointestinal" and insert therefor --gastrointestinal--.

Page 10, second line of last paragraph, delete "bllod" and insert therefor --blood--.